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COMPANY, LIMITED.

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—Harrison, Dr. W.
—Cantile, Dr. J., Residence.
—Vernon, J. Y. V.
—China and Japan Telephone Co., Limited.
—Poesnecker, L.
—Arnhold, Karberg & Co.
—The Hongkong and Shanghai Banking
Corporation.
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—Central Police Station.

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- 15.—Hongkong & Whampoa Dock, Aberdeen.

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- 10.—Pank Hotel & Trading Co., Craigieburn.
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- 12.—Gibb, Livingston & Co
- 13.—Hampden Hotel Public Telephone.
- 14.—Hancock, W. St. John, C.E.
- 15.—Crusikiehn, Wm., Victoria Dispensary.
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- 17.—At Yon & Co.
- 18.—Linstead & Davis.
- 19.—Foster, F. T. P.
- 20.—The Borneo Co. Limited.
- 21.—Adamsen, Bell & Co.

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3.—Jordan, Dr. G. P., Residence.
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2.—Layton, " Residence.
3.—Judd, W.
4.—Webber, J. F.
5.—Hartigan, Dr. W.
6.—Victoria Hotel. Public Telephone.
9.—Sey Shing.
10.—Dukin Bros. of China, Limited.
1.—Stevens, Geo. R. & Co.
2.—Stevens, Geo. R., Residence.

their lists accordingly. A. S. ORD.
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"FOR THE BLOOD IS THE LIFE."
J. L. BARKER'S

THE GREAT BLOOD PURIFIER and
THE GREAT BLOOD CLEANSER
FOR CLEANSING AND CLEARING THE BLOOD
 from ALL IMPURITIES it cannot be too highly recom-
 mended.
 Cures Scrofula, Scurvy, Skin and Blood Diseases,
 Eczema, and Sores of all kinds, it is a never-failing
 aid in all cases of
 It Cures Old Sores on the Neck.
 Cures Ulcerated Sores on the Neck.
 Cures Blackheads, or Pimples on the Face.
 Cures Scabby Sores.
 Cures Cancerous Ulcers.
 Cures Blood and Skin Diseases.
 Cures Glandular Swellings.
 Clears the blood from all impure matter
 from whatever cause arising.
 Clarke's Blood Mixture is the only real "specific for
 all blood diseases," and it cures the cause
 from which the blood is polluted.
 As the mixture is pleasant to the taste, and war-
 rants the most delicate and delicate injuries to the most

THOUSANDS OF TESTIMONIALS.

Clarke's Blood Mixture is sold in Bottles 2s. 9d. each, and in cases, six times the quantity. It is so efficacious to effect a permanent cure in the grand majority of long standing cases, BY ALL CHEMISTS AND PATENT MEDICINE-VENDORS throughout the world, that it is not necessary to multiply instances of its efficacy. It is sold by ALL DRUGGISTS, MEDICINE VENDOR'S, AND DISPENSARIES TO THE POOR, IN EVERY PART OF THE KINGDOM. Trade Mark—"BLOOD MIXTURE."

CAUTION.

Purchasers of Clarke's Blood Mixture should be careful that they get the genuine article. No false imitations are sometimes palmed off by unprincipled vendors. The words "Clarke and Milnand Counties" are engraved on the wrapper, and the words "Clarke and Milnand" on the Government Stamp, and "Clarke's Water" forced Blood Mixture," blows in the Bottle, WITHOUT

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Contemporary Review containing the celebrated Article on the Bismarck Dynasty.
Illustrated Horse Breeding, by Capt. Hayes.
Matthew Arnold's Culture and Anarchy.
Chung Tzu, by H. A. Giles.
Vasco da Gama.
Lyell's Geology.
Plumbing Practice, by Wright Clarke.
Wanderings of Globe Trotter, by Wingfield.
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Evil of the East, by Keesin B-y.
Solid Soled Tennis Shoes.

Dressing Cases, Brush Cases, Cigarette Cases,
and quantity of New Fine Leather Goods.

21) Sweet Caporal Cigarettes.
New Pianos by Collard & Collard, Broad-
wood, Kirkman and Newmeyer, for Sale or
Hire.
WALTER W. BREWER,
UNDER HONGKONG HOTEL.
DOUGLAS STEAMSHIP COMPANY,
LIMITED.
FOR SWATOW, AMOY, AND TAMSUI.
The Company's Steamship

Captain Hall, will be despatched for the above
Ports TO-MORROW, the 7th inst., at DAY-
LIGHT.
For Freight or Passage, apply to

DOUGLAS LAPRAIR & Co.,
General Managers.
Hongkong, 6th April. 1889. [710]

FOR SINGAPORE, PENANG, AND
CALCUTTA.

THE Steamship
"JAPAN,"
Captain T. S. Gardner, will be despatched for
the above Ports on **WEDNESDAY**, the 10th
inst., at Noon.

—For Freight or Passage, apply to

Agents.

Hongkong, 6th April, 1899.	[714]
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OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY.

FOR SHANGHAI VIA AMOY.

(Taking Cargo and Passengers at through rates for NINGPO, CHEFOO, NEWCANG, TIEN IN, HANKOW, and PORTSWAN (the YANGTZE).)

THE Company's Steamship

"DALAMED."

Captain Jackson, will be despatched as above on the 12th inst.

For Freight or Passage, apply to
BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE, Agents.

Hongkong, 5th April, 1899.	[709]
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the Chinese contribute as ratepayers to the

maiden in her parental palace. In the library
 Boston, peering through her luncheon, she
 "don't know that I understand him." "Have
 Præd?" "Yes," answers Chicago, with a bl
 "yes I have, prayed, but it doesn't seem to
 much good."

An old resident of Assam, writing in the
Journal of the Asiatic Society, gives a most repellent account
 of that region as the land of "fetters." "Yes, it is
 any worse than Ceylon in this respect, it is a
 country for pedestrians unprovoked and
 shanks, but the leech has a dread of salt, and
 very slight saline scalds will drive him away
 to the next village. He is a creature of the
 appetite, and he is a creature of the
 appetite. I what a dreadful picture of life in Assam it is
 read of an elephant mired in a drain being
 attacked with leeches on the trunk and exposed
 to the view of the natives. The leeches are
 distended bodies. The elephant had been
 days without food, and was in a feeble condi
 Notwithstanding that a thousand of these
 bottomless, looking like so many ripe
 and swollen on the tongue below, he fell
 and recovered.

A good story is related at the expense
 of a hotel proprietor at Tacoma, Washington T
 ritory. A stranger who had been stopping
 the house for a few weeks asked the proprie
 how far it was to Mount Ranier, which appea
 to be a matter of miles distant, although it
 it was nearly 100. The proprietor winked
 the bystanders, and said that perhaps it w
 mile away. The boarder said he believed
 would walk out to it for exercise, and the
 "You are a fool," said the proprietor, who, af
 rowing the proprietor's fine field, immo
 stately started. "The joke was too rich for
 hotel man to keep, and he treated all hand
 but the resident of the land of "fetters." T
 lord had become suspicious, and found t
 the valise which the "tenderfoot" had left
 filled with brick-bats, and that he had car
 off seventeen towels and everything else th
 was in the valise. He was a two-week's
 two-week's beard bill. This probably still walk

Vanilla is the product of a vine that grow
 chiefly in Mexico and the West Indies. It
 may be like those of thoiry. It bears abun
 ant flowers, but they do not readily ferti
 themselves, and artificial means are employe
 insure fertilization and increase the prod
 of the fruit. The fruit is a small, round, b
 when export, hardly 1000 blossoms a day a
 If left to the themselves the crop would be s
 one-fourth what is secured by artificial ferti
 lization. This work is done in March and A
 and the fruit is then stored until the be
 planters do not cure them, but sell them fo
 who make a business of that part of the proc
 It is a delicate operation requiring skill
 judgment to preserve the aroma and qual
 of the fruit. The juice, which is the active p
 of the extract, dries on the surface of
 pod in white crystals known in the trade as
 "vanillin." The curing takes from 20 to 30 d
 and is then sorted and packed in
 cases for shipment.

According to the latest official report fr
 America, the population of the United St
 numbers no fewer than 61,702,000. Of t
 first noteworthy increase in the number o
 population of the States took place between
 1870 and 1874, and 1874 and 1878. In 1870
 20,000,000 of persons added to the total
 population. Again, between the years 1871
 1880 the addition to the dwellers of the St
 was quite 12 millions. The decade from 1880
 1890 adds half, and the decade from 1890
 1899 adds another half. The figures, which
 1890 to reach not fewer than 15 million
 thus more than doubling the numbers of
 years ago. Up to the year 1893 the number
 of slaves in the States, which, in 1860, was
 causes, had ceased to find a foothold upon
 the native soil as given as follows:—Of Eng
 men in the United States there are 114,0
 Germans, 116,000; Italians, 25,000; and
 18,000; and of Bohemians, 14,000 so
 The number of Frenchmen who have emigr
 to the States is comparatively small, and
 major part of these went on to La Plata.

COMMERCIAL INTELLIGENCE.

PARIS, 5th April.

EXPORT CARGOES.

Per American ship *Pacheta*, sailed on the
 April.—From Shanghai for New York—1
 bale straw braid, 261 bales linen, 110 cases
 silk, 98 bales wool, and 71 cases nutgalls. Fo
 Yokohama for New York—30 cases nutg
 4,554 bales assa, 550 bales straw, 200
 packages soy, 240 bales assa, 180 cases
 or preserves, 190 cases wine, 150 cases gallu
 packages nutg, 73 cases buns, 65 packages
 chests opium, 30 cases nutg, 30 cases
 nutg, 15 cases joe-sticks, 6 bales mats,
 281 packages sundries.

Per steamship *Algerina*, sailed on the
 April.—For Genoa—60 bales assa, 185 bales
 silk, 30 cases nutg, 773 packages nutg, 2,377
 2,377 bales sugar, and 180 packages sundr
 For Vancouver—200 bags rice, 1 chest op
 and 104 packages merchandise. For Victori
 5,074 bags rice, 100 packages nutg, 100
 chests opium, and 2,117 packages merchand
 For San Francisco—30 bales gunnies.
 Portland—417 bags rice, 3 boxes silk, 192
 bales gunnies, and 1,400 packages merchand
 For Seattle—1,375 bags rice, 100 boxes
 chests opium, and 2,117 packages merchand
 For Portland—101 packages merchandise. For Bos
 380 packages merchandise. For Port T
 1,020 bags rice, and 109 packages mer
 chandise. For Seattle—1,375 bags rice, and
 100 boxes chests opium, and 2,117 packages
 chests raw silk, and 343 packages merchand
 For steamship *Yamato*, sailed on the
 April.—For Contantin—100 bales silk, 35
 silk piece goods, 100 boxes nutg, 78 pack
 goods, and 725 boxes tea. For London
 cases silk piece goods, 14 packages sundries,
 1 boxes tea, and 41,553 lbs. coibou.

Per steamship *Nepheris*, sailed on the
 April.—For London—100 cases nutg, 100
 bales New York—38 cases sundries.

OPIMUM.

Quotations are:—
 New Malwa \$580 per picul, alic
 (1) to 2,000
 Old Malwa \$600 per picul, alic
 (1) to 2,000
 Older Malwa \$610 per picul, alic
 (1) to 2,000
 Patna (New) \$550 per chest
 Bussara (New) \$20 to \$27½

EXCHANGE.

28, LONDON.

Telegraphic Transfer 2/114
 Bank Bill on demand 2/114
 Bank Bill 3 months sight 2/114
 Bank Bill 4 months sight 3/04
 Credits, at 4 months sight 3/04
 Documentary Bills, at 4 months
 sight 3/04

ON PARIS.

Bank Bill, on demand 3/77
 Credits, at 4 months sight 3/85
 New YORK.

Bank Bill, on demand 73
 Credits, 60 days sight 74

ON BOMBAY.

Telegraphic Transfer 2/18
 Bank, on demand 2/50

ON SHANGHAI.

Bank, at sight 720
 Credits, 30 days sight 722

SOVEREIGNS 6/53

STAMPS.

Quotations are:—
 Hongkong and Shanghai Bank Shares
 per cent. premium.
 Union Insurance Society of Canton, Limited—
 481 per share.
 China Traders' Insurance Company's Shares
 North China Insurance—Tis. 297½ per sh
 Yangtze Insurance Association—Tis. 97½
 share.
 Chinese Insurance Company, Limited—1165
 share.
 On Tai Insurance Company, Limited—Tis.
 share.
 Canton Insurance Office, Limited—2150
 share.
 Hongkong Fire Insurance Company's Shares
 1800 per share.
 China Traders' Insurance Company's Shares
 per share, miles.
 Straits Marine Insurance Company, Limited—
 825 nom.
 Straits Fire Insurance Company, Limited—
 825 nom.
 Hongkong and Whampoa Dock Company's
 Shares—52 per cent. prem.

